

LIFE IN THE METROPOLIS.

**DASHES HERE AND THERE BY THE
SUN'S REPORTERS.**

Feeding the Hungry in Jersey City.
The soup house started by a sub-committee of nine from the Relief Association of the Pavonia Club was opened early yesterday morning in 820 Grove street, Jersey City. Soup and coffee are given away to those who cannot pay for their meal. The room is on the first floor—spacious, well lighted, and heated. Two long tables are waited on by two waiters. The applicants for food were few, as the opening of the soup house is not generally known. Alderman Tilden, a member of the Pavonia Club, says that he expects that the applicants will soon be as numerous as at the soup house of the Young Men's Christian Association, which feeds a

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The Funeral of a Veteran of the Revolution.—The funeral of a Revolutionary War veteran, a young man, an active member of the Produce Exchange Company, a member of the New York Lighterage Company, and a veteran of the Seventh Regiment, N. G. & N. Y., was held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Westminster Church, Clinton and First streets. The funeral was held in the afternoon, because more than fifty of the friends of the deceased, who were more than fifty of the friends of the deceased, were veterans of the Seventh Regiment, and a very large number of the friends of the deceased were members of the Lighterage Company, and the remains to the vault in the afternoon. The funeral was held in the afternoon, because more than fifty of the friends of the deceased, who were more than fifty of the friends of the deceased, were veterans of the Seventh Regiment, and a very large number of the friends of the deceased were members of the Lighterage Company, and the remains to the vault in the afternoon. The funeral was held in the afternoon, because more than fifty of the friends of the deceased, who were more than fifty of the friends of the deceased, were veterans of the Seventh Regiment, and a very large number of the friends of the deceased were members of the Lighterage Company, and the remains to the vault in the afternoon.

A Tremendous Blast.—On Saturday the contractors who are blowing out the ledge in Eighth street, between First avenue and Second, had a very successful day. They blew out two blasts, a mass of rock, six feet long, twenty-two feet wide, and several feet deep. Two holes were filled with dynamite, and the rock was blown out. The rock, weighing twenty tons or more, was hurled to the south. A piece weighing 200 pounds was thrown into the street, and the other pieces were blown into the air and stripping others of their branches.

The Manhattan Club.

There is an apparently well authenticated rumor that the committee will not re-evaluate the Presidency of the Manhattan Club. The Hon. August Belmont and the Hon. Doug. as Taylor are prominent candidates for the office.

The Police Deadheadism.

Commissioner Gardner states that the three tickets charged to him on the books of the Academy of Music are not his. He says that he has already written a letter to the *Academy of Music* at New York, and that he has already written a letter to the *Academy of Music* at New York, and that he has already written a letter to the *Academy of Music* at New York.

Laying the Corner Stone of the Hudson River Bridge.
POUGHKEEPS, Dec. 14.—The corner stone for the proposed bridge across the Hudson at this place is to be laid with Masonic ceremony on Wednesday next. The leading men of the country have been invited to attend the ceremony, and the following are the special invitations. A special train will be run from Hartford to Poughkeeps, and the guests will be met at the Eastern Railroad. After the laying of the stone the guests will be tendered a banquet at the Opera House.

Threats from Workmen.
CINCINNATI, Ohio, Dec. 14.—The proceedings of the meeting of workmen last night, were chiefly in German, and most of the assemblage were Germans. They were making threatening remarks to the local young Austrians, as saying that an appeal to arms would be made if the latter refused to work for them. A committee-to-day are arranging for a call of the union of the workmen, and will probably meet at 4 o'clock tomorrow morning and march en masse to the city hall.

HOURS OF LEISURE.

Concert by Eben's Seventy-first Regiment
based in the Academy building.

Jersey City Grand Lodge of Perfection, this
evening, grade of Ultimate Secretary.

Eleventh annual ball of the Jersey Schützen
Corps, Germania Assembly Rooms, Dec. 16.

Promenade concert by Gilmore's Twenty
second Regiment based in the Armory in Fourteenth
street to-night.

JOTTINGS ABOUT TOWN.

The Adriatic arrived last night.

Judge Hilton sailed in the Republic for Liverpool
on Saturday.

The Ashbury Life Insurance Company will take
now a new and more substantial building.

Judge Blatchford has dismissed the proceedings in bankruptcy against the Union Trust Company.

Marion Martin, aged 15, has been missing from her home since the 10th inst.

John Nachstman is contesting the election of George Secker to the Assembly from the Eighth District.

Officer Conklin of the Thirty-second Precinct went to call his mother, aged 76, yesterday morning.

The fourth promenade concert of Gilmore's twenty-second legation band, in the Fortieth street hall, will be given on Saturday.

The Receiver of the National Bank of Commonwealth will pay a per cent. dividend to the shareholders on Saturday.

At a meeting of the new bureau of charity on Saturday a letter was read from Mr. J. C. Keger, of New York, in which he offered to contribute advantageously placed there.

Late last night Charles E. Waterman, of the Twenty-second Precinct, was shot by a man named A. E. Evans, of Erie.

Last night Catherine O'Brien, of 41 Lowell street, attempted suicide by taking Pruss green.

On taking his seat in the Second District Civil Court on Saturday Justice Maloney, Jr., Field, Justice McLaughlin, and the County Clerk, together with the county's officers to practice extortion, and as that was the poor man's court be meant that its burdens should fall on the poor.

On receipt of the despatch announcing the determination of the Rev. Charles Cheney, of Chicago, Illinois, to accept the nomination tendered by the Synod of the Northwest, Bishop Cummings went to Chicago to consecrate him. The Bishop

1. The following information was obtained from the records of the Department of the Interior, Bureau of Land Management, regarding the land owned by the United States in the State of California: